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Mail Stop AF, Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated June 15, 2004, and in accordance with Rule 116 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks in connection with the above-identified patent application. Please be advised that Applicants are hereby requesting an expedited procedure for processing the Amendment filed herein, pursuant to M.P.E.P. § 714.13 (V), and are thus subject to the benefits recited therein.

Applicants submit concurrently herewith (a) an Amendment Fee Transmittal; and (b) a Petition to Extend Time accompanied by the appropriate fee.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.



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#### FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

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Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$0.00.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

| (Col. 1)                                  |   |       | (Col. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID | PRESENT<br>EXTRA | SMALL ENTITY |               |    | OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY |       |            |      |
|---|---|-------|--------------------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------------|----|---------------------------|-------|------------|------|
| CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |   | RATE  |                                      |                  | -            | ADDIT.<br>FEE | OR | RATE                      |       | ADDIT, FEE |      |
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| ☐ FIRST                                   | FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM |       |                                      |                  |              | \$            |    |                           |       | \$         | 0.00 |
|   |   |       |                                      |                  | TOTAL        | \$            |    | OR                        | TOTAL | \$         | 0.00 |

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this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: October 15, 2004

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